

Wrong-way car kills 2 on I-93 in Quincy

Two people were killed early yesterday morning when a car traveling in the wrong direction on Interstate 93 crashed head-on into another car, police said. Mildred W. Barrett, 21, of Dorchester, was pronounced dead at the scene after her car was struck by a vehicle heading south in the north-bound lanes near the Furnace Brook Parkway exit in Quincy, State Police said. Trooper Robert Maloney said the driver of the other vehicle, Charles Swan, 29, of Milton, was rushed to Quincy City Hospital following the 2:30 a.m. accident, but was pronounced dead on arrival. There were no passengers in either car. Maloney said police do not know why Swan was in the wrong lane, adding that there was no indication liquor was involved. The accident was still under investigation yesterday afternoon.

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